

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Alexandria Division

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| GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, | ) |                                 |
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| Plaintiff,                | ) |                                 |
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| v.                        | ) | Civil Action No. 08-591-TSE/JFA |
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| ADRIANA KOECK,            | ) |                                 |
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| Defendant.                | ) |                                 |
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**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiff General Electric Company and defendant Adriana Koeck make the following joint status report:

1. By order of December 15, 2008, the Court once more stayed this action in order to allow a settlement agreement to be finalized in a putative class action pending in the United States District Court for the District of Connecticut captioned *Lorena F. Schaefer v. General Electric Company, et al.*, Case No. 3:07-CV-0858 (PCD) ("*Schaefer*"). As the parties herein have represented to the Court, the parties in this case have reached an agreement on all outstanding claims in this action. This settlement, however, is part of a settlement in the *Schaefer* case.

2. By its December 15 order, the Court directed that the parties file a stipulation of dismissal by December 29.

3. The parties previously estimated that the final settlement documents would be executed by that date. This goal proved impossible to achieve, owing to the complexity of the *Schaefer* settlement and the intervening holidays. The *Schaefer* parties have finalized their

settlement documentation with respect to all but a handful of issues and expect the settlement documents to be executed no later than January 5, 2009. The revocation period with respect to certain of the documents will expire seven days thereafter, allowing the settlement of *Schaefer* and this matter to become final by January 12, 2009.

WHEREFORE, the parties ask that the Court keep the stay in place for an additional 14 days, to and including January 12, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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